

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M. No. 18, meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. Harry R. Farris, W. M.; Howard D. Smith, Secretary.

OXFORD ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 24, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. Albert J. Stearns, H. P.; Geo. E. Tubbs, Secretary.

OXFORD COUNCIL, No. 14, R. & S. M., meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. H. L. Bartlett, F. L. M. Unas, P. Barnes, Recorder.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 1, Ark Mariners, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday after the full moon. E. E. Andrews, Ven. Pat.; Morton L. Kimball, Secretary.

HARRY RUST POST, No. 64, G. A. R., meets at G. A. R. Hall, the first Tuesday evening in each month. S. L. Etheridge, Commander; Fredland Young, adjutant; S. A. Bennett, Q. M.

OXFORD CASTLE, No. 2, K. G. E., meets in Ryerson Hall, every Thursday evening, Sept. 10 to May 1, first and third Thursday evenings, May 1 to Sept. 1. James E. Everett, N. C.; Merle L. Kimball, M. of R.

NORWAY LODGE, No. 18, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. Delmore M. French, N. G.; M. L. Kimball, Sec'y.

WILDER SCOUTS, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. G. Julian Brown, C. P.; Morton L. Kimball, Sec'y.

EX. LODGE, No. 58, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows Hall, the first and third Friday evenings of each month. Cora E. Postins, N. G.; E. W. Kimball, Sec'y.

PENINSULA LODGE, No. 18, K. of P., meets in their hall, Hathaway Block, every Thursday evening. E. C. Thompson, C. C.; W. A. Lewis, K. of R. & S.

LAKE ASSEMBLY, No. 33, P. S., meets in Ryerson Hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Mrs. Charles Libby, C. C.; Mrs. T. L. Heath, K. of R. & S.

LAKESIDE LODGE, No. 17, N. E. O. P., meets at G. A. R. Hall, on the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month. Mrs. Harry Glidden, warden; Ada A. Libby, secretary.

HARRY RUST, W. E. C. O., No. 45, meets in G. A. R. Hall, first and third Monday evenings of each month. Phila Sued, Pres.; Clara I. Jordan, Sec'y.

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What Is the Greatest Foe The Farmer Has to Contend With? By R. A. J.

What is the farmer's greatest foe? That is what we desire to know; and it is a risk that we take. Of all our foes little or great, Poverty, poverty, I'm sure is the chief we have to endure. I don't mean poverty of brains. Though we may not rightly seek gains, I fail to see how we can prosper. And use the most successful plan; Because we can't certainly know Which is the surest crop to grow. To secure small amount of gain, With something to soil to remain. It isn't poverty of finances, Wherever we may further enhance Our prospects to more sure obtain Greater crops and better means gain; Though this is one of the many foes Which everyone fearfully knows, Often prevents our securing Advantages more enduring. We often see changes in trade Where we our condition might aid; But failed the income to arrest, Because we'd no capacity to invest. But 'tis the poverty of soil That causes us to mull and toil, Disgrace and poverty to sell. That is our most relentless foe, Always encroaching on our fields And cutting short our sunny days. Every spring we begin to toil To check this poverty of soil; We haul out dressing on the ground, And upon our fields spread it around. Then plow, harrow, harrow and till This poverty of soil to kill. Then run in debt or buy with cash Some other snuff made up like hash, And then we wonder why we fail. To make the crops some better grow; For when the crops are full and true, In the winter to stock is no use. Cut and made or properly cured, Into the barn are packed away To be sold out some other day; The same From this soil to them reclaim, In the winter to stock is no use. To keep down poverty of soil, We crop that for years a few, Then work it over to again renew; In the winter to stock is no use. As small profit of gain per head, Some fertile soil to keep, To haul out on the land again. 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We the undersigned desire to express our thanks and appreciation to those who so kindly rendered assistance during the sickness and burial of wife and mother.

NORTH WATERFORD

Two Deaths.

After many months of suffering Mrs. Moses Mosher passed away Wednesday morning, Feb. 8th.

Her son, Everett, only and wife of Somerville, Mass., with her at the last. Many beautiful flowers were sent from her immediate friends, and the Rebekah lodge to which she belonged.

Funeral services were held at her home, Friday afternoon, Rev. G. P. Fuller officiating, and she was laid to rest beside the sixteen years old daughter, Minnie, who died some years ago. Mrs. Mosher was the last of her family. Her age was 73.

Eliza A. Farmer, who has been in feeble health for some time, was found dead in bed, Wednesday morning, Feb. 8th, having apparently died in her sleep.

She was born in Stow, Mass., and her parents came here to live when she was a child. She faithfully cared for her invalid mother many years, and when she was well was always ready to help others. She has lived for many years with her brother, George, keeping his house as long as she was able. She has heard the summons, "Well done, good and faithful servant," and goes away in peace. Her age was nearly 85.

Mrs. S. B. Nason is quite ill at her home.

Mrs. Ella Charles is on the sick list, also Mrs. Ernest Nason.

Pledge pays 6½c live weight and 8½c dressed, for good fat pigs.

Still the cold weather draws on our woodpiles and our patience.

Mell F. Kibright was taken seriously ill Sunday morning. Is slightly improved at this writing.

Lizzie Dresser has been home from Bridgton, sick, and Mrs. Dresser has been too ill to go out.

F. Paul of Portland, a representative of the Talking Machine Co., of Portland, was in town Tuesday.

Colia A. Rand, who formerly lived in this place has recently spent a few weeks in Savannah, Ga., and writes interesting letters of her visit.

Wm. Plummer of Dakota was in town recently. He says that he raised 12,000 bushels of wheat on his farm in that state last year. He also owns and manages a store in the town of Minnewakan.

There was a narrow escape from a fire at Dr. Coolidge's, Sunday night. A lamp left burning, exploded, set fire to a table cover and a pile of papers, burned the edge of a shelf and went out, and was not discovered till morning.

WATERFORD.

Badly Used Up.

Sewell Abbott met with an accident in which some of his ribs were broken, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Small of Bridgton visited at Herbert Whitman's last Thursday.

Sarah Knight has returned from Boston where she has been visiting the past six months.

A telephone has been put into Sewell Abbott's house recently. The ring is twenty-five.

C. S. Wiggin entertained a small audience with his photograph at L. Rounds' store Friday evening.

WEST BUCKFIELD.

Died Suddenly.

Ethier J. Lowe died suddenly Thursday morning, Feb. 7th, of heart failure. She lived with her brother, Romanzo C. Lowe.

On Thursday morning, Mr. Lowe rose as usual and after building the fire went to the barn; on returning and finding his sister had not arisen, he went to call her and found her sleeping the last sleep.

Miss Lowe was born in Buckfield, the daughter of the late Lyander and Sarah J. (Gannon) Lowe and was 55 years, 11 months and 10 days old. She was loved and respected by old and young. The children found a ready friend and sympathizer in all their joys and troubles in Esther and she was greatly loved by them. She leaves the brother with whom she lived and one own sister, Mrs. John Newton of Andover; a half-sister and half brother, Mrs. James Smith of Stow and Charles Lowe of Buckfield, besides nephews and nieces.

The funeral was held Saturday at one o'clock, Rev. A. W. Pettie of Buckfield officiating. She was a member of Mount Pleasant Grange, No. 164, and fourteen of the Brothers and Sisters of the order attended the funeral. The out of town relatives who were there were Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Maximo, Mrs. Freeman Harlow and daughter of Paris, Preston Lowe of Rumford Falls and John Newton of Andover. Mrs. Newton was not able to attend on account of illness.

EAST BUCKFIELD.

Justus Mason has a very pretty nine months' old filly, Weirick colt.

Charlie Maxim and Mrs. Etta Teague spent Saturday evening at Justus Mason's.

Henry Brown and wife from the village will soon move over and live with Moses Brown.

George Shaw has sold his farm to Lyman Waterman. It is reported that Mr. Shaw and daughter will move to the village.

HARRISON.

A Peculiar Accident.

Chester Tarbox lost a valuable horse, Midget, one day last week under peculiar circumstances. He was driving through the village on a smooth stretch of road and as he turned out on meeting another team, a foal of the horse snapped suddenly and the animal had to be shot.

Boston morning papers on sale at Jackson's at 730 in the evening.

The Congregational choir give an entertainment at the vestry, Thursday evening, the 14th. Supper will be served by the ladies of the circle.

Rev. C. N. Davis, pastor of the Congregational church, is in Bangor this week attending a ministerial gathering. Marshall Pitts is spending a few days in Union.

Word has been received here that Charles L. Lang, who is employed by the General Electric Co. of Lynn, burned his hand badly recently, while testing a machine.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Keene are both sick. Mr. and Mrs. David Kneeland are recovering. Mrs. Frank Kneeland, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is recovering slowly.

Washington's birthday will be celebrated by a dance at Grange Hall. Lamb's orchestra furnishes music and Chas. W. Jackson is floor manager with plenty of aids. Half-hour concert before the dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Plummer from North Dakota have been visiting Mrs. Plummer's sister, Nellie Plummer, at J. G. Smith's. This is Mrs. Plummer's first visit to Maine since she married and went West about four years ago. They will start on their return trip next week.

The Harrison lodge, of I. O. O. F. worked the initiatory degree, Friday night, entertaining as guests the lodges of North Waterford and Lovell. Attendance was about thirty. The evening was a royal good time. Two bountiful suppers were served and the tables were handsomely decorated with pinks and carnations. Lamb's orchestra furnished the music during the first part and a phonograph gave pleasing selections during the second supper.

BRYANT'S POND.

A. W. Arkut's son has a mild attack of pneumonia.

Harry Coffin of Boston is visiting his uncle, George H. Coffin.

School in the Chase district taught by Maud Stevens closed Feb. 8th.

Geo. W. Q. Perham and C. Lester Heath were in Portland, Tuesday.

Jerry Ryan returned from Detroit, Monday, and is now working for E. H. Pike.

H. Alton Bacon has recently put into his carpenter shop one of Fairbanks' 5 h. p. gasoline engines.

William Whitman, who was recently very sick at the home of Sarah Proctor, is out again and visiting friends this week at Locke's Mills.

Our dramatic club is making good time on rehearsals of the T. act comedy, "Capt. Jack," and will present it to the public the last of February.

Bert Whitman, who resided on the Tuttle farm, died Feb. 12, after a long illness. He leaves a wife, father, mother and one brother. He was about 55 years of age.

Mrs. Mary P. Farrar is very ill with pneumonia and the chances are against her recovery. Mrs. Mary A. Waterhouse, who has been ill from the same disease, is reported better.

W. H. Pearsons is in very poor health. Mrs. Nellie B. Dudley is improving. Mrs. Ernest Curtis is not gaining very fast.

Mrs. Isaac Cummings from South Paris visited here Monday.

Jimmy Powers is confined to his bed with rheumatism.

Reuben Whitman is gaining very slowly. Robert Arkett is sick.

Mrs. J. L. Bowker is suffering with a severe cold, is confined to the house.

Christian Endeavor meetings are held on Thursday evenings at the home of Mrs. Emily Felt's.

Mr. Henney of Bates college will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday, Feb. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowker of West Paris visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bowker, over Sunday.

Lilly Abbott is sick with pneumonia. Mrs. George E. Stevens is very sick with the grip.

G. L. Cushman lost one of his work horses, Tuesday night. He ate his supper well and was dead before morning.

Mrs. Lizzie Meader stepped off the two last stairs in going down cellar in a way that caused her to fall and break her wrist.

Mrs. Consider E. Farrar passed away, Wednesday forenoon, aged 68 years. She leaves a husband, one son and two sisters, Mrs. S. L. Russ and Mrs. H. C. Davis of Norway, and many friends to mourn their loss. Mrs. Farrar was ever ready to help others. It has been truly said that "she wore her life out for others." The funeral will be on Friday at 1 o'clock at the house.

BETHEL.

J. M. Philbrook is getting out from a severe cold.

Our assessors are hard at work in finishing up their annual report to go to press.

LOVELL.

Frank C. Walker.

The community was saddened Friday last by the death of Frank C. Walker, aged 43 years.

He was born in this town, the son of Marshall and Drusilla (Chandler) Walker. Upon the death of his father he succeeded him about 12 years ago as town clerk and so continued until he resigned to become the rural mail carrier.

He was exact and painstaking in his work wherever it might be, and was much liked by those with whom he came in contact, and his loss is deeply felt by the people of the whole vicinity.

He was a member of Delta lodge, F. & O. of Oriental chapter. He leaves as immediate relatives, a wife, mother, and one brother. The funeral service were from the house Sunday afternoon attended by Rev. C. B. Shank and burial at No. 4 cemetery.

The floral offerings were numerous and very beautiful. We noticed the following:

Forty-three white pinks—Mrs. F. C. Walker, Bouquet, tulips and carnations—Mrs. Drusilla Walker, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Walker. Bouquet of pinks—Scholarine C. Walker.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Walker. Bouquet white pinks—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harriman. Bouquet white pinks—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wood and son.

Bouquet pink roses—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kimball. Bouquet red and white pinks—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kimball. Bouquet pink and white roses—Mrs. J. B. Kimball. Bouquet pink and white roses—Mrs. J. B. Kimball. Bouquet pink and white roses—Mrs. J. B. Kimball.

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WEST FRYEBURG.

Bert Smith appears on the street, selling fresh fish.

Mrs. Ed. Hall has been visiting her parents at Sweden.

B. W. McKee is on a lecturing tour in Vermont, to be away three weeks.

Richard Hutchins, who has been at North Fryeburg for the past few weeks, is now sick at his father's, B. E. Hutchins'.

Walter Hardy, who was hurt in the woods three weeks ago by having his ankle badly bruised, is now able to use it quite well.

Harold McKee and Elmer Walker are cutting timber for Chas. Andrews, on a job which he took at Fryeburg, near the station.

Mrs. Olive Mansfield is quite ill, although a little better. She has had two severe heart attacks. Mrs. Esther Baker is caring for her.

Walter Lewis, who has been quite sick with the prevailing epidemic, is reported to be some better.

Miss B. W. Farrington, who has spent a number of weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. F. Wiley in Peabody, Mass., returned to her home at Mrs. Lewis' in East Conaway, N. H., Feb. 9th.

Mrs. W. M. Farrington, who was called to Franklin, N. H., on account of the sickness of her mother, has not returned home, not being able to leave her mother.

Mrs. Sarah Stevens is at her brother's, Mr. N. Fife's at North Chatham, N. H. She has her little grandson with her and he has been very sick, but is now better though not able to return home.

FRYEBURG.

Haley Neighborhood.

Alice Haley has visited her aunt, Mrs. A. W. Cook.

Dana Haley is at home sick with the German measles.

Mrs. Otis Allard of Lovell was the guest of Mrs. Wallace Haley one day last week.

Almon Haley is at work for Frank Thomas, logging at Davis hill of New Hampshire.

George Biskford, who has been working for Leon Hill of Conway, met with an accident by getting burned about the face and hands by steam from the engine.

Mrs. A. Sands is doing an extensive business in poultry. She has 200 hens and quite a few chickens hatched this year that are ready for market. Mr. Sands says they are old enough to crow and keep him awake nights.

SOUTH ALBANY.

Mrs. P. P. Dresser is on the sick list.

Thomas Jordan recently sold a pair of steers to J. F. Lord.

Cecil Kimball and Lottie Lord spent a few days at Bridgton last week.

Jennie Lord is at work for P. W. Saunders of North Waterford.

Mrs. Fred Littlefield of Bischoffs was in this place one day last week.

Roy Lord and family visited Mrs. Lord's home in Bridgton last week.

Holden Sawin and Carl Heath of Waterville were at Merritt Sawin's, recently.

Geraldine York is assisting in the housework at Elmer Henley's for a short while.

P. P. Dresser has been on the sick list for some time, but is improving at the present.

Ernest Crover has been sawing wood for Walter Lord. Mrs. Walter Lord has returned from her visit among relatives at Lewiston.

James Kimball recently went to Canton with Dr. Coolidge to North Waterford, to carry the remains of Dr. Coolidge's mother, Mrs. Dr. Coolidge, Sr., who died at the home of her son.

Those who were fortunate enough to witness the electric display in the heavy wet Saturday evening saw a most beautiful sight. The whole sky was filled with long moving flashes of light, some of which were colored like the rainbow. All who saw it say they never saw anything more splendid.

ALBANY.

Mrs. James Kimball was guest at Archie Cole's, Friday.

The ladies circle met at the vestry, 7th. Forty were present.

W. W. Bird and Harry McNally are harvesting their ice this week.

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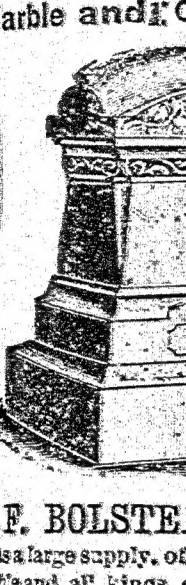
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BOWSER, NATURALIST

Discovers That Most Animals Change With Seasons.

IT IS SO WITH MANKIND.


Cost the Philosopher Three Pails of Beer to Corroborate His Theory About the Goose—Takes a Mean Advantage of Mrs. Bowser.

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Mr. Bowser had hardly entered the house the other evening as he returned from the office when he inquired as to the whereabouts of the family cat. Béling informed that Grimalkin was circulating around the neighborhood somewhere, he dropped the matter, and, though Mrs. Bowser directly questioned him, he made evasive replies. It was not until dinner was over and they had returned to the sitting room that the cat walked in and took his accustomed place on the rug. Mr. Bowser at once gave the feline his full attention and kept it up so long that Mrs. Bowser petulantly demanded:

"Now, what on earth do you see about that old cat to interest you? One would think you were a child and seeing a cat for the first time."

"I am seeing certain things for the first time nevertheless. I see corrobo-



ration of an article I read in a scientific magazine the other day. Mrs. Bowser, what change do you see in that cat since the fall season set in?"

"None whatever."

"Had you asked me the same question yesterday I should have answered it in the same way. Now I must tell you that I see a dozen changes. You will observe that his eyes are brighter and have a more intense color. There is a certain elation about him. There is an alertness that strikes you at once. He is no longer morbid or lymphatic. He is no more the cat he was last August than day is like night."

"Well," asked Mrs. Bowser.

"Well, the same or other changes have taken place in all other animals—in the horse, the ox, the dog, the fowls of the air and of the coop. They have taken place in mankind itself. Ever since the world was created there have been changes of seasons, but up to this present moment mankind has not been ready to admit that all things change with the seasons. It stands to reason that they do, however."

"And, if they do, then what?"

"Then we have solved one of the human problems. If man changes his nature four times a year, as the seasons change, then he has but to discover when he is at his best and his worst to guard against things. Am I the same man I was last spring or last summer?"

"You didn't kick about last month's gas bill."

"Then there has been a change in me. That was the very point I was fishing for. If we can secure a few other instances, we can set it down that human nature is a greater kicker over the small gas bills of summer than over the big ones of winter."

"But haven't we got to take human nature as we find it, good and bad?" asked Mrs. Bowser.

"We have, had to, but when we find human nature's best and worst seasons we can shape our course accordingly. Suppose that the spring season is your mean and cantankerous season. As soon as I discover if I treat you differently from what I otherwise would. Suppose my cantankerous season is the summer. You know it, and you don't talk back to me during those three months. Is crime more rampant in spring, summer, autumn or winter, and why? Are there more divorces in March than November? Does our conscience upbraid us more in January than July? Why should we give a tramp 10 cents in September and the boot in April?"

It was beyond Mrs. Bowser, and she simply shook her head.

"It is changes, my dear, changes. Last August I seriously thought of getting a divorce from you for your extravagance in using up clothespins. Tonight I feel that I could not sever the bond under any circumstances, not even if you smashed half the crockery in the house. What has changed me except the change of season? If a man has criminal desires in the spring, he must fight them off until summer. If the summer makes a man soft and mellow and an easy mark, he must have a guardian appointed until September comes. I already begin to understand that my season for being real good begins with the first fall month. What I shall be during the winter season is a mystery at the present moment. The magazine article that I referred to says that the change is more

A GUIDE TO ITALY.

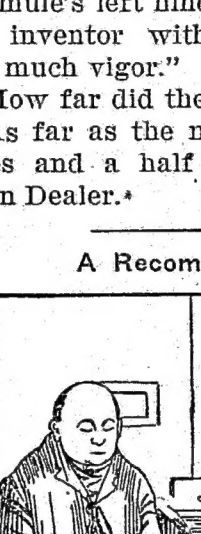
Sh? You are sail for Betyah?
Oh, my, I weesh I gon' weeth you!
I show you all da place to see
An' all da besta people, too,
An' ev'ryt'hing you want, my frand,
So you could know w'en you are through
all t'heings een dat so granda land—
Oh, my, I weesh I gon' weeth you!

Sh? Sure! I know da lan' so wal
I geeve advice bayfore you go;
tal you all you want me tal.
'Wat ees eet you weell like for know?
Da churcha? No; not Rome, my frand.
I tal you eet you want for see
Da fines' wans een all da land
You musta go for Napoli.
Da musics? You are fond of eet?
Wal, den, baylve me eer! I say
Ees no wan play so gran', so sweet,
Like Banda Napoli ees play.
Sh? Where da besta people levee?
My frand, you must have taste of dat
Da best ees mak' from grapes dat grow
By Napoli, so beeg, so fat!
Sh? Where da besta people levee?
Wal, now, I want you com' to me
Bayfore you sail, an' I weell geeve
You names som' frands een Napoli!
Sh? Where da pritta ladies ees?
Ah, my! Ravenna ees da place,
Not Napoli for findin' dees.
Ravenna girls ees gotta face
So sweet and teeth so white as snow,
So brighta eyes, so black da hair—
Ravenna ees my town? Oh, no!
My Rosa she ees com' from dere.
You know, I com' from Napoli,
Dat's how I know so mooch to tal
about da besta t'heings to see;
You see, I know dem vera wal.

Sh? Wal, good day, my frand. Oh, no!
I glad for tal you wat you do
Ben Betyah bayfore you go—
Oh, my, I weesh I gon' weeth you!
—T. A. Daly in Catholic Standard and Times.

An Interrupted Experiment.
"The man who invented the machine that automatically milks cows has de-vised an attachment that will utilize the waste energy in a mule's hind legs."
"How does it work?"
"He hasn't completed his experi-ments. He attached the device all right, but the mule had a little waste energy that the machine didn't take up. This excess, which was stored in the mule's left hind leg, was handed to the inventor with great suddenness and much vigor."
"How far did the mule kick him?"
"As far as the nearest hospital, two ets miles and a half away."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Recommendation.




Managing Director—Well, and what are your qualifications for the post of night watchman?
Applicant—Well, sir, for one thing, the least noise wakes me up.—By-stander.

Putting Him Wise.
His Wife—John, dear, I need a new dress awfully.
Her Husband (gruffly)—I'd like to know what you need a new dress for.
His Wife—Why, I want it to cover the piano with, of course. You didn't suppose for a minute that I intended to wear it, did you?—Chicago News.

Sarcasm.
"What's the matter?" inquired Mrs. Starvem as Mr. Newbord made a wry face. "Is there anything wrong with your soup?"
"Soup!" he replied. "I don't know anything about soup, but this dish of hot water is too greasy!"—Philadelphia Press.

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Norway Municipal Court.

Irving W. Robbins and son, Oliver A were tied before Judge W. F. Jones Tuesday afternoon, on charge of assault as stated last week. Irving W. was held to appear at the March term of Suprem court on \$500 bonds. There was no evidence against the son, Oliver, and he was discharged.

John P. Swasey of Canton appears for the Robbinses and County Attorney Charles P. Barnes appeared for the State.

SOUTH PARIS.

Mrs. Harriot Bird.

Mrs. Harriot Rust (Millet) Bird, widow of Benjamin Bird, died at her home on Western avenue, South Paris, Wednesday. She had been very ill several months. She was the daughter of Nathan and Mercy (Sampson) Millet. She was born in Norway, Dec. 29, 1827. She married Benjamin Bird, Dec. 4, 1854. They lived on a farm in the Biscoe neighborhood in Paris, but several years ago after the death of her husband she built a house on Western avenue and since then has lived there with her sister Julia E. Millet, who with another sister, Mrs. Franklin Porter of Paris, survives her.

The funeral will be from the house Friday at 10 o'clock.

Helen Sweetser of Pownal, is visiting her sister, Ida Sweetser.

Harlan P. Dennison is visiting his grandparents at Beth Bethel.

We want Paris farms to sell. See ad Dennis Pike & Estate Agency.

Washington's birthday will be celebrated.

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SOUTH PARIS, MAINE.

Herbert M. Tucker formerly of this town, who has for the past few years been manager of the Morey Farm near Mechanic Falls, will go, April 1st, to Chilli Station, New York, where he is to take management of a large Jersey Stock Farm.

OTISFIELD.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cain.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cain, widow of Samuel Cain, passed away Feb. 14th, aged 73 years and six months, after an illness of several weeks. She suffered a paralytic shock last December and has been failing ever since. She was a most estimable lady and was loved and respected by all. She was a Christian, always ready to help in time of trouble. She has always lived an exemplary life. She was kindly cared for during her sickness by her granddaughters, Mary and Maggie Cain, and her son's wife, Mrs. Walter Cain. Her soul was spared to God.

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